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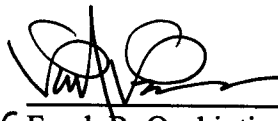
In response to the final office action mailed March 23, 2006, applicant submits a terminal disclaimer for the above-referenced application and believes this disclaimer will overcome the rejection of claims under the non-statutory double patenting ground on any patent issuing from U.S. application numbers 11/178,889 and 10/814,356.

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